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Title: EXERCISE MACHINE PRESS ARM

**REVOCATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY AND CERTIFICATION UNDER**

**37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) OF RIGHT OF ASSIGNEE TO TAKE ACTION**

**AND REQUEST FOR ENTRY OF POWER OF ATTORNEY**

**TO THE DIRECTOR - U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE:**

**I. POWER OF ATTORNEY**

The undersigned assignee hereby revokes all previous powers of attorney given and filed in this application and hereby appoint the firm of Christensen O'Connor Johnson Kindness<sup>PLLC</sup> and Bruce E. O'Connor, Reg. No. 24,849; Lee E. Johnson, Reg. No. 22,946; Gary S. Kindness, Reg. No. 22,178; James W. Anable, Reg. No. 26,827; James R. Uhler, Reg. No. 25,096; Jerald E. Nagae, Reg. No. 29,418; Dennis K. Shelton, Reg. No. 26,997; Jeffrey M. Sakoi, Reg. No. 32,059; KiSong Kim Lang-Caditz; Ward Brown, Reg. No. 28,400; F. Ross Boundy; Robert J. Carlson, Reg. No. 35,472; Marcia S. Kelbon, Reg. No. 34,358; Rodney C. Tullett, Reg. No. 34,034; Daiva K. Tautvydas, Reg. No. 36,077; and Mary L. Čulić, Reg. No. 40,574; members of the firm, as its attorneys with full power of substitution and revocation to prosecute this application to issuance, and to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith and to receive the Letters Patent.

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1 II. CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b) OF RIGHT OF ASSIGNEE TO TAKE  
2 ACTION

3 Illinois Tool Works Inc., a Delaware corporation, having a principal place of business at 3600  
4 West Lake Avenue, Glenview, IL 60025 U.S.A. is the assignee of the entire right, title and interest  
5 in the above-identified continuation patent application by a chain of title including an assignment  
6 from the inventors of the prior U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/271,689, filed March 18, 1999,  
7 now U.S. Patent No. 6,080,091, issued June 27, 2000. The previous assignment from the inventors  
8 of the prior patent application to Pacific Fitness Incorporated was recorded on July 16, 1997, at  
9 reel 008652, frame 0831. The assignment from Pacific Fitness Incorporated to Precor Incorporated  
10 was recorded on October 19, 1998, at reel 009547, frame 0334. The assignment from Precor  
11 Incorporated to Illinois Tool Works Inc., a copy of which is attached, was submitted to the U.S.  
12 Patent and Trademark Office for recordation on September 18, 2000.

13 The undersigned has reviewed the documents in the chain of title of the patent application  
14 identified above and, to the best of the undersigned's knowledge and belief, title is in the assignee  
15 identified above.

16 The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is empowered to act on behalf of the  
17 assignee.

18 The assignee hereby requests that the Power of Attorney for this application be entered in the  
19 file of this application and be given full force and effect.

20 I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all  
21 statements made on information and belief are believed to be true and, further, that these statements  
22 were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by  
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1 fine or imprisonment, or both, under § 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such  
2 willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

3 Respectfully submitted,

4 ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS INC.

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